



RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE-EXAMINING GROUP 2811

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In re: Ryu et al.

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For: SILICON CARBIDE POWER METAL-OXIDE SEMICONDUCTOR FIELD
EFFECT TRANSISTORS HAVING A SHORTING CHANNEL AND
METHODS OF FABRICATING SILICON CARBIDE METAL-OXIDE
SEMICONDUCTOR FIELD EFFECT TRANSISTORS HAVING A
SHORTING CHANNEL

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**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL
PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.116**

Sir:

Applicants provide the present Amendment in response to the Final Official Action mailed March 12, 2004 (the "Official Action"). Applicants provide the present Amendment pursuant to the rules stated in revised 37 C.F.R. 1.121 that became effective on July 30, 2003.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 14 of this paper.